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New Mobile Application Allows Taxpayers to Easily Make ePayments BOE ePay - fast, easy, safe, and convenient way to do business

Sacramento – Betty T. Yee, First District Member of the California State Board of Equalization (BOE), today announced the BOE is offering a free application, BOE ePay, that allows owners of most mobile devices to make payments to their BOE tax and fee accounts.

"BOE ePay provides a fast, easy, safe, and convenient new way to do business," said Ms. Yee.

BOE ePay enables taxpayers to use their credit card, checking or savings account to make ePayments, view their ePayment history, and register and manage their eClient account. Taxpayers must register as an eClient to use all application features. An Express Login code is available to taxpayers who simply want to make ePayments.

To see BOE ePay in action, check out the video and find the application here: www.boe.ca.gov/mobile/. Blackberry and other mobile devices can use BOE ePay as long as they use a web browser other than Internet Explorer.

The application is the latest created by the BOE. Another application allows taxpayers to find the sales tax rate of any jurisdiction and locate their district office. These applications are another way the BOE is making it easier for Californians to comply with tax laws and regulations.

Check out the BOE's interactive release at http://pressitt.com/smnr/New-Mobile-Application-Allows-Taxpayers-to-Easily-Make-ePayments/11301/.

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Board Member Betty T. Yee was elected to her post in November 2006. Her district includes many of California's coastal counties, from Del Norte to Santa Barbara, and includes the entire San Francisco Bay Area. Ms. Yee previously served as Chief Deputy Director for Budget at the California Department of Finance, covering a wide array of state and local finance policy matters.

The five-member California State Board of Equalization (BOE) is a publicly elected tax board. The BOE collects more than \$50 billion annually in taxes and fees supporting state and local government services. It hears business tax appeals, acts as the appellate body for franchise and personal income tax appeals, and serves a significant role in the assessment and administration of property taxes. For more information on other taxes and fees in California, visit www.taxes.ca.gov.

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